As the curse grows stronger daily, his heart is enchained by memories of Itsu
玻璃の花
(はりのはな)
QUARTZ FLOWERS
FUSANOSUKE INARIYA PRESENTS
稲荷家房之介
第23話

IT APPEARS AS THOUGH
THE PRINCE HAS SETTLED DOWN COMPLETELY RECENTLY

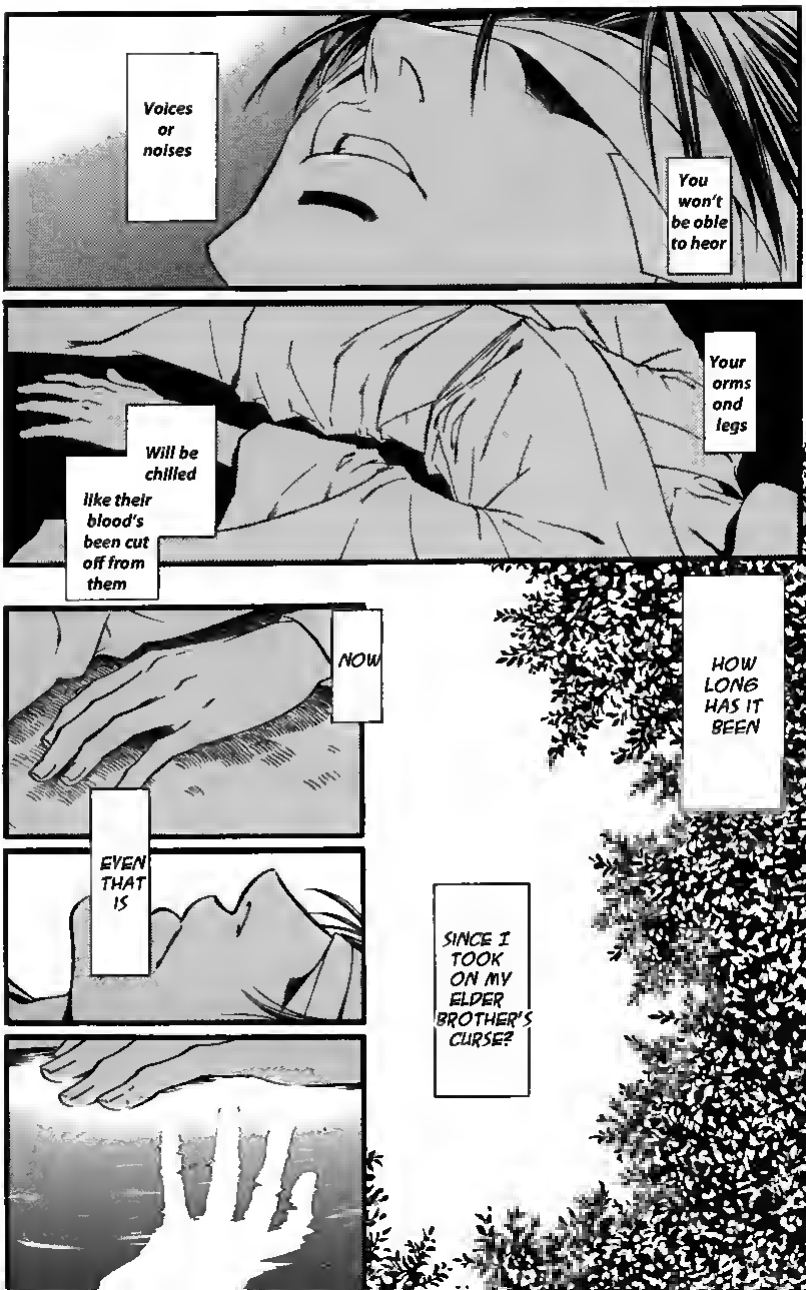
THOSE IN THE NORTH MUST BE RELIEVED
THOSE DAYS WHEN HIS SICKNESS TROUBLED HIM SO MUCH
SEEM LIKE NOTHING MORE THAN A BAD DREAM NOW
IT'S ALL THANKS TO
THE GODS AND BUDDHA'S DIVINE PROTECTION

SLICE

HIGH PRIEST SUIKEI!?

DON'T TOUCH ME!
MY BODY
Hah
MUSTN'T BE TOUCHED
BUT
IT WILL BE FINISHED SHORTLY
BESIDES,
THIS IS MY -
VOODOO DOLL MAGIC SHOULDN'T BE INTERFERED WITH
BY MAN OR BEAST

INESCAPABLE
DUTY
You won't carry the wounds yourself
The demon blood intermingled with yours should heal you before long
However,
For a little while your voice and sight
Will be snuffed out


Voices or noises
You won't be able to heor
Your orms ond legs
Will be chilled
like their blood's been cut off from them
NOW
EVEN THAT IS
HOW LONG HAS IT BEEN
SINCE I TOOK ON MY ELDER BROTHER'S CURSE?

IT'S HIM
HE'S ATTRACTED TO MY PAIN
OUR BLOOD IS MIXED
AND SOMETI -MES
I FEEL AS THOUGH
HE'S TOUCHING ME

LEAVE
I'M FINE
I'M FINE
SO
I WANT YOU
TO BE FINE TOO

pour down
THIS IS ENOUGH
AT ANY RATE, MY PRESEN-CE
WILL WEAKEN
FROM THE FLOWING BLOOD
AND THEN EVENTUALLY DISAPPEAR

FOR YOU AND HIM
IT WILL BE HELL ON EARTH
I WAS RAISED AS A VESSEL OF THE HEAVENS
I REMAIN NEGLECT-FUL OF THE THINGS AROUND ME
AND BECAME HOLLOW

THAT'S
TOO BRIGHT
IF I HADN'T LET GO OF HIS HAND BACK THEN

I'M SURE
I WOULD HAVE ENDLESS-LY -
SLAM
HIGH PRIEST ..!?
IT CAN'T GO ON LIKE THIS

WE'RE BECOMING IRRITATED THAT THE CURSE ISN'T WORKING
THE PLAN RELIED ON HIM NOT BEING ABLE TO DEFEND AGAINST THESE SPELLS
HE MAY BE A HIGH PRIEST, THIS MAN WHO HAS TAKEN ON PART OF THE DEMON
BUT THAT DOESN'T MEAN HE'S BECOME IMMORTAL
AT THIS RATE WE'LL BE CRUSHED BY THE SPIRITS...
BY LORD ONOMI-YA'S SIDE TOO -
IT WON'T DO
I HAVE BAD NEWS
IT SEEMS THE MINISTER OF THE LEFT
HAS CALLED FOR ABE NO SEIMEI

最後の花
PORTGEFAHREN